# TO CONTROL LUMBER COST

Retail Dealers Said to Have Made a Combine.

HE WOULD BREAK IT UP

Judge Frank Gillette Took Radical Steps.

Hobart, O. T., Sept. 18.-The most sucbessful trust in Oklahoma is the combination maintained for years by retail aber dealers to control the price of building material. Members of the trust have made fortunes with ease, so great has been the demand for material and so feeble has been competition. The laws of Oklahoma, if enforced, could be made to reach trusts, but the lumber men generally have not been molested. In each town lumber mea form a pool binding themselves not to sell below certain prices. A record of all sales is kept, and usually at the end of each week accounts fits distributed according to the amount of business done by each firm.

Judge Frank Gillette took radical steps In the district court here several days ago to break up the trust in Hobart Lumber men were subpoensed to testify before the grand jury, and a number of of them found it convenient to leave town. W. E. Alexander and Oscar Albertson were brought before the grand jury but declined to answer certain questions, claiming that their evidence might incriminate themselves. They were arraigned for contempt, after refusing three times to answer, and each fined \$50 and costs and sentenced to ten days in fail A motion to allow the defendants time to make a case and give supersedas bonds was overruled, and jail commitments in sued. The defendants had refused to answer questions Nos. 1, 2, 5, and 6, and in fixing punishment Judge Gillette said.

The first question is in reference to his knowledge touching the action of th different lumber companies in Hebart in entering the pool for the purpose of con-troller the prices of building material The second question is as to his knowledge as to whether or not these corporations have employed one Sutton to check of these companies, authorizing the witnesses to recognize any nool or agreement ber or other building material in the city he secured it. of Hobart; and the winth question in if the different lumber companies of I shart, including the William Cameron Lumber Loss is Far in Excess of the Insurance company, kept a blank book in which the witnesses are required to enter each day a list of their sales and profits.

The defendants say they should not eriminate themselves under the law of lows pylor the relation of local manager, em- lance. plove and sulesman may hold from in vestigation by a grand jury his knowlege of the acts of corporations of this kind, when directly propounded to him in reference to the acts of those corporations, and refuse to answer questions which in no way seek to show whether or not be himself has been guilty of defing the things which as agent or manager for the corporation, he is forbidden to do: In fact, the court is not sure as to whether the relations of there defendants to in very great doubt-in fact, Is of the nounce it opinion that the witness in this case and from answering."

Nervous, weak and tired people should take Hood's Sarsaparilla for the blood.

#### IT SURPRISED GUTHRIE. Suicide of Lieutenant Mitchell Was a

Shock to Wife's Friends. Guthrie, O. T., Sept. 15.-The announce ment of the sidelds of Lieutenant Mitch-

ment of the suicide of Licuteman Mitch-ell of the Second infantry at Fort Leav-ell of the Second infantry at Fort Leav-Grace White, on August 24.

schools for three years and during the unrely boy, took offense at his mother the original case known as the Buster-opening of the Kiowa-Comanche country and attacked her with a table fork. At Jones suit, she drew a claim and resigned her port- his hearing this morning he was sention to reside on the homestead. After tenced to alk months in fall

# Dysentery

is a dangerous disease, but can be cured. There is a remedy that never falls. It has been used in sine epidemics of dysentery with perfect success. It is called Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoes Remedy.
It is equally valuable for calidren and
when reduced with water and sweetened,
a pleasant to take Price, 22 and 50 cents

living on the claim for a time she went to Fort D. A. Russell, Wyoming, to meet Mitchell and the two came here to b married. A public reception for Lieuten-ant and Mrs. Mitchell was held at the

home of Mr. and hirs. J. O. Stevens it war college at Fort Leavenworth and his Approach of Statehood the Lieutenant Mitchell was attending th wife had been spending the day in Kansas City yesterday, finding her husband dead when she returned home. No cause is assigned for the deed.

## WHEN ORIENT COMES.

Oklahoma Expects That Road After Some Months.

Oklahoma City, O. T., Sept. 18.-A genrepresentative of this paper;

The Orient railway will take up the matter of building a line into Oklahoma City after the main line of that system has been built to Sweetheart, Texas. This will consume several months yet. The officials of teh Orient have already visited this city with a view to building a line here from either Carmen of Fair-view. The line will be extended from are audited by a committee and the pro this city to the Indian territory where the company expects to derive its supply of coal."

#### MEN AT WORK.

Before Enjoined.

Guthrie, O. T., Sept. 18.-While the 'Katy' railroad was securing a Injunc-ion to prevent the Fort Smith and Western road from crossing the track of the former road at Meridian, the Fort Smith company had its men at work and crossed the "Katy" right of way before the pa pers could be served. This means that the Fort Smith and Western beats the "Katy" into Guthrie; otherwise, the "Katy" would have had an advantage.

Eczema, No Cure, No Pay. Your de ... gist will refund your money if PAZO OLYTMENT falls to cure ringform, tetter, old ulcers and sores, pimples and blackheads on the face, and all skin dischaes: 50 cents.

#### OWNS THE HANDKERCHIEF.

Secretary Grimes Bought a Mrs. Roosevelt Souvenir for \$10.25.

Guthrie, O. T., Sept. 18. Secretary "Bill" Grimes received a letter today, stating the Methodist churches, and the convenyards and prorate their profits upon each that he is the owner of a Mrs. Rooseday's or week's sale. The fifth question velt handkerchief, for which he is to ganizations of other churches, and the was to whether or not the defendants had pay \$10.25. Mrs. Roosevelt sent a hand- general organization of the W. C. T. U. received any instructions from the prest- kerchief to the Kingfisher Colleke to be and Anti-Saloon league. dent, manager, auditor or general agent raffled, the proceeds to be used in purchasing a pieno for the college. Mr. Otimes authorized Kinguisher parties to to regulate or control the prices of tum- bid for the handkerchief and as a result

#### FIRE AT WOODWARD. Held.

the territory; and upon the proposition R. E. Davis Drug company, \$8,000, in the court has heard counsel in behalf of surance \$2,00; Woodward Grocery comthe defendants at length, and the court pany, loss \$7.00, insurance \$2.00; First tion in interest of the prohibition of the has also examined the authorities presented by counsel. The court does not of \$500, fully covered by insurance; Ed agree with counsel that a person, occu- Broppy, hardware, loss \$3,000, no insur-

#### HAS TENTATIVE POLICY. Bonaparte Will Go to Indian Territory

a Little Later.

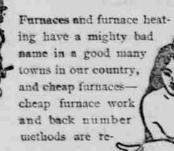
Washington, D. C., Sept. 18.-Charles J. Bonaparte of Baltimore who has been appointed to investigate Indian Territory affairs, had a conference today with Acting Secretary Ryan of the interfer department. Mr. Bonaparte said he expacted to visit the Indian Territory in making his investigation, but did not the companies in such relation as would know when he would go there. He suffi make them agent or manager without the that he had a tentative policy mapped out. meaning of the statute. The court is but was not yet prepared to an-

Mr. Bonaparts requested copies of dochis refusal to answer is more a shielf to uments on hie at the interior department the company than it is to excuse himself regarding allegations of efficial misconduct in the territory, and these will be It Will Open at South McAlester Next forwarded to him. Mr. Bonaparte will have assistants of his own selection, and will not have to devote his entire time counsel for the government in the postal

#### Attacked His Mother,

enworth caused much surorise in Guthrie was arrested this morning on a warrant today, owing principally to the fact that sworn out by his father charging him

### A Good Name is Priceless



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# Round Oak Furnace

has a good name, and we take the greatest pains to keep up the reputation.

It is absolutely gas, smoke and dost tight. It is durable and a strong, It is absolutely gas, smoke and dust tight. It is corange and a strong, powerful heater. It bettes any kind of facel with economy and stockes. When this splendid construction is installed seconding to Round Oak methods the results are a perfect working furnace.

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Estate of P. D. BECKWITH, Dowagiac, Mich.

Wichita, Kan., by STEEL BROS.

## WILL CALL A CONVENTION

Missionary Society Will Begin to Work for Prohibition.

KANSAS BRAND

Occasion of Activity.

Oklahoma City, O. T., Sept. 18.-A homa Missionary society which will result in the calling of a convention for Heman who is in a position to know to- the purpose of taking steps to suppress day made the following statement to a the saloen and to provide for constitutional prohibition by a provision similar to the prohibition clause now in use in Kansas. It is believed that this convention will be called in the near future and that it will be a gathering of Oklahoma and Indian Territory prohibitionists. Resolutions adopted by the convention show what is intended by the promoters of the movement. The resolutions are as fol-

In view of the near approach of statehood for the Indian Territory and Oklishoma, it is our conviction that it behooves the friends of moral reform to bestir themselves in the interest of tem-They Crossed the Katy's Right of Way perance, in order that the new state or states, shall come into the union with the strictest constitutional provisions in respect to the manufacture and sale of in-toxicating liquors; therefore, be ft 'Resolved, By the Oklahoma Chris-

tian Missionary society: "First. We call all true friends of manhood, womanhood sud the home, among our citizenship, to awake to the duty of the hour, in an endeavor to suppress the

"Second. We favor the convening as soon as possible, of either a bi-territor- Kan., at Oklahoma City, Thanksgiving ial convention, or a separate convention day, November 25. "The Big Swedes" abominable saloon.

"Third. We favor such convention within the next six months. Fourth. We favor the appointment of a territorial central committee from the churches and temperance workers of these territories, of one representative from each church organization in the territories, such as the annual conference of

"Fifth. We desire that the said centra committee arrange for the convention above mentioned, as in its best judgment

tions and associational and synodical or-

seems wise. "Sixth. The make-up of the said conlows: Two delegates for each church or-The defendants say they should not about \$20,000 worth of property, upon in the territory; two delegates for each, the territory, required to answer these questions which there was about \$1,500 insurance. Y. M. C. A. organization in the territory.

in the territory, "Seventh. We believe the said convention should arrange for the best organizacentral committee, made up according to charge of the work of securing the enthe judgment of the convention, to have trance of Oklahoma and Indian Territory into the union, unstained by the iniquitous and devastating influe rum traffic, and we call on all churches to unite in this crusade for home, manhood and womanhood."

It is evident from the tone of remarks that accompanied the passage of this resolution that organization for constitutional prohibition had already been canvassed, and that a provision similar to the one in Kansas is desired.



COURT OF APPEALS. Tuesday.

South McAlester, O. T., Sept. 18.-Commencing Tuesday, September II, the Inession in South McAlester.

The docket shows the now famous tribal of the state of Missouri ax suit wherein the merchanis of South McAiester refused to pay the Choctaw nation tax and were later upheld by Judge

The cutcome of this case is somewhat be married a former Guthrie girl, a Miss with assault with a deadly weapon, says in doubt as Juege Raymond has since taken a view directly opposite to that of race White, on August 24.

the Vidette.

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the Duthrie it seems that Bill, who is a rather Judge Chayton in the Creek nation suit.

#### ROY HOFFMAN'S EULOGY.

Praises the Life and Character of the Late Major Neal. Chandler, O. T., Sept. 18.-Concerning

the life of the late Mujor Moses Neal forer United States Indian agent at the Sac and Fox agency, Colonel Roy Hoff- fer, a homestender, twenty-five years of man says the following: "I wish to say that which I know every wound while hunding near Mount Scott

citizen of Chundler feels in testifying Birkofer was crawling through a fence to the many excellent qualities of mind when the gun was discharged, the charge and heart of our late fellowiownsman rabing effect in his body, and prominent citizen, Major Moses Nesl, I have hown him from my earliest youth. For almost half a century he has been Mecker, O. T., Sept. 18.-The Herald prominent in the development of the east; City Townsite Board and as schafor in to. the first Oklahom's legislature, exhibiting in all strong mentality and those kindly graces which so endeared him to all who Guthrie, O T., Sept. 18. The statement knew him. His public life was always of business made by the Bank of Commarked by the strictest integrity. In his merce of Guthrie announces J. W. eNeal douth this community sustains a personnt as president. Mr. McNeul sold his inloss. His sorrowing relatives have the terests in the Guthric National bank, redeep, sincere sympathy of the entire com- tiring as president of that institution. munity in their bereavement."

#### FOR THIRTEEN GAMES.

University of Oklahoma Has Prepared

names have been scheduled for the Uni- issued a call for statements from terriversity of Oklahoma football team for torial banks at the close of business on



galo dust GENERAL USES FOR GOLD DUST:

GOLD DUST MAKES HARD WATER SOF

movement has been started by the Okla- M. M. McMahon, coach for the team last year, has been re-engaged and is here nett, T. H. Tribbey, Clyde Bogie, B. J. McCreary, George Duncan, Alec Clement, Chester Roods, Ben Arnold and Tom B.

> The following games have been arranged for: Chilecco Indian, at Norman, October 2. Kingfisher College, at Kingfisher, Oc-

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ober 16.

Texas University, at Austin, October 17. A and M. College of Bryant, Tex., at Dallas, October 19. Fairmount College of Wichita, Kan., at Oklahoma City, October 26.

Kanaas State normal, at Norman, Oc-Emporia College, at Emporia, Novem-

vember 7. A game with the Texas University will probably be played at Oklahema City after this date

Kansas University, at Lawrence, No-

November 8 Missouri School of Mines, at Joplin, "The Big Swedes" of Bethany College,

for each territory, in the interest of the chaim to be the champions of Kansas, prohibition of the liquor traffic and the havin ga team last year averaging 180 Manager Tribbey will try and make ar-

> the The Kind You Have Always Bongs ears the

> > AS TO GAME LAW.

Game Warden Corrects an Existing False Impression.

Guthrie, O. T., Sept. 18 .- J. C. Clark, ters to persons here correcting faise im- lahoma has its fair association. vention or conventions shall be as fol- law. A copy of the letter is as follows:

ganization in the territory; two delegates | most of the papers in the territory confor each Sunday school organization in taining extracts from the game laws and the territory; two delegates for each An- quoting section 3, of the sect of March Woodward, O. T., Sept. 18.—Fire which il-Saloon league in the territory; two 10, 1896, which permitted the sale of game broke out in this city Thursday destroyed delegates to each W. C. T. U. organization lawfully taken, to persons living within

"This section was repealed by the act because the answers might tend to in- The list of losses was given out as fol- two delogates for each lodge of L O. G. T. of March 18, 1900, which expressly prahibits the sale or barter at any time of any prairie chicken, grouse, quali, wild. turkey, dove or intersectiverous bird, and provides that any person found guilty of a violation of this law shall be fined to any sum not less than fifty dollars nor

of the might conclude from a reading of the ar- than any other association in the territible referred to, that the game birds mentioned could lawfully be sold during the cos parts of the territory have been en-"J. C. CLARK." "Territorial Game and Pish Warden."

#### OPENING NEW TOWNSITE.

Officers Consider the Scheme a Lottery and Interfere.

Chandler, O. T., Sept. 18.-The sheriff of this county yesterday arrested J. H. done, Borders and other members of the Monarch Investment company, a Kansas City organization, which was conducting the opening of a new townsite at Warwick. The arrest was made at Warwick, and for time it seemed that trouble would rasult from the arrest. It is claimed that the opening was being conducted by a guessing plan, and officers considered the to that particular investigation, leaving dian territory court of appeals will be in The company is organized under the laws

To Erect New Building.

Guthrle, O. T., Sept. 18.-The Guthrle National bank will erect a new building Clayton as docketed the very last case in the rear of its present structure Another room will be used by the bank, and new building when the same is completed.

#### Placed Under Arrest,

Guthrie, O. T., Sept. 18.-D. C. Kolp. W. A. McCall, J. H. Mathews, A. B. Wey. C. McCail, Jark and W. C. Bolon, all hardware dealers have been placed under arrest, charged with having formed a trust in the hardware business.

Shot Gun Kills Him.

Lawton, O. T., Sept. 18,-Charles Birkoage, died from the result of a gun shat

#### Or. Bough Appointed.

southwest. A pioneer of Kansas-rising | Dr. John Bough has been appointed emiliance and public honor of the state, a member of the National Angillary and first among the settlers of Oklahoma Congressional and Legislative committee he has ever been amongst the forement of the American Medical association, in of our people. He was widely and favor- and for Lincoln county. Oklahoma. The ably known throughout the territory. He association is no important one, as it has has served with honor and credit here an leftoence upon legislation, state and meny public capacities-as United antional relating to the science of steria States Indian agent, as Kickapon affor- medica, and regulating the practice of for agent, as member of the Oklahoma the profession and matters relating there-

> Buys Into Bank of Commerce. Since that time Mr. McNeal has been in Mexico and when coming back here bought into the Eank of Commerce.

#### For Bank Statements.

Football Schedule. Guthrie, O. T., Sept. 1k-Territorial Norman, O. T., Sept. 1k-Thirteen Bank Commissioner Paul F. Cooper has this season by Manager T. H. Tribbey. September IL

Report That He Becomes Frisco Attorney Confirmed.

PARTNER OF C. B. AMES

Oklahoma City to Become His Future Home.

Guthrie, O. T., Sept. 18 .- A telegram received here today states that ex-Delegate selecting material for the team. Quite Dennis T. Flynn has formed a law parta number of last year's team will be nership with C. B. Ames of Oklahom with it again. Among them are J. Mo- City and that the firm will take care of Frisco system legal business in Oklahoma and Indian territory, with hendquarters in Oklahoma City.

Ames has been the junior member of the law firm of Howard & Ames and is considered a splendid lawyer. He is well known in Democratic political circles. having assisted in numerous campaigns in Oklahoma. The taking up of the Prisco's work will necessitate Flynn's removal to Oklahoma City. He has resided in Guthrie since 1889. Flynn will return to Guthrie from St. Louis tomorrow morning and will probably leave for New York I na few days.

#### HE HAS A CLAIM

Horse and Saddle Were Taken From Him During the War.

Ardmore, O. T., Sept. 18.-Spencer D Arkansus University, at Fayetteville, Mitchell, an old Confederate soldier who lives near Ardmore, was in town today having some legal papers prepared for the purpose of collecting \$110 due him by the

United States government. Mr. Mitchell surrendered and was paroled at Wushington, Cla., in 185. He has the old copy of his parole and it will be sent with his claim to the quarter master general at Washington, D. C. The amount is due Mr. Mitchell in return and suddle rangements to secure a number of return taken from him by the United States troops at Chattenooga, Tehn. He was a member og the Eighth Tennessee realment of Confederate cavalry.

#### BETTER THAN EVER.

County Fairs in Oklahoma This Year Are Record Breakers.

Kingdaher, O. T., Sept. 13.-The county fair in Oklahoma is not to be ignored this year, and the old saying, "better than ever" holds good in every county in the territorial game warden has written let- territory. Practically every county in Okpressions regarding the territorial game week the Kingfisher county fair begins, and from September 21 to 26, the city of "An article has recently appeared in Kingfisher will be the 'Mecca" of the traveler who desires to participate in the doings at an old fashioned fair.

The contract for the grading of grounds and track was completed this week and the electricians have placed wires in the grounds insurng electre lights at night fair is held and the city officials and commrcial club have been co-operating with the fair management in preparing the profrom for the week. Last year a suspenston bridge was constructed over - Price John's Creek," thus placing the grounds within three blocks of the business por

tion of Kingfisher. tery. Fast horses from Kansas and varitered for the races, and R. J. Kester, the the Collins Carnival company, which has of the territory when it comes to enter owner of the famous "Kitty Kester." been in Enid all week will be in Kingfish r talning "he fair association is not an old states that the track is as fast as any during the fair. The company will put organization by any menus, but King-track in Oklahoma. In addition to the on a complete street fair and earnical, neber people have taken up the county be immense. This has been a successful tract is that there are to be numerous permanent and the abouting of tast year year in the territory, and consequently free attractions. the "pumpkin" show is not to be out. Kingdisher people claim that the city is that it will be prenomenally successful



The real heroines of every day are in our homes. Frequently, however, it is a mistaken and useless heroism.

women seem to listen to every call of duty except the supreme one that tells them to guard their health. How much harder the daily tasks become when some derangement of the female organs makes every movement painful and keeps the nervous system unstrung? Irritability takes the place of happiness and amiability; and weakness and suffering takes the place of health and strength. As long as they can drag themselves around, women continue to work and perform their household duties. They have been led to believe that suffering is necessary because they are women. What a mistake!

The use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will banish pain and restore happiness. Don't resort to strong stimulants or narcotles when this great strengthening, healing remedy for women is nlways within reach.

always within reach FREE MEDICAL ADVICE TO WOMEN.

If there is anything in your case about which you would like special advice, write freely to Mrs. Pinkham. No man will see your letter. She can surely help you, for no person in America has such a wide experience in treating female ills as she has had. She has helped hundreds of thousands of women back to health. Her address is Lynn, Mass., and her advice is free. You are very foolish if you do not accept her kind invitation.

#### For proof read the symptoms, suffering and cure recited in the following letters:

"Dear Mas. Pinkham: — I wish to express to you the great benefit I have derived from your advice and the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. My trouble was female weakness in its worst form and I was in a very bad condition. I could not perform my household duties, my back ached, I was extremely nervous, and I could not eat or sleep, and the bearing-down pains were terrible. My husband spent hundreds of dollars to get me well, and all the medicine that the doctors prescribed failed to do me any good; I resorted to an operation which the physician said was necessary to restore me to health, but I suffered more after it than I did before; I had hemographees of the womp that nothing could seem to stor.

hemorrhages of the womb that nothing could seem to stop.

"I noticed one of your advertisements and wrote you for advice. I received your reply and carefully followed all instructions. I immediately began to get stronger, and in two weeks was about the house. I took eight bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and continued following your advice, and to day I am a well woman. Your remedies and help are a Godsend to suffering women, and I cannot find words to thank you for what you have done for me."—Mrs. Lottin V. Navior, 1328 N. J. Ave., N.W., Washington, D. C.

"Dear Mrs. Pinkman: — I write to tell you what Lydin E. Pink-ham's Vegetable Compound has done for me.

"I was suffering with falling of the womb and could hardly drag about, but after taking five bottles of Lydin E. Pinkman's Vegetable Compound I was completely cured. I am now a well woman and able to do all

"I think your medicine one of the best remedies in the world." - Mrs. J. M. Lez, 141 Lyndal St., Newcastle, Pa. DEAR MRS. PINKHAN: - Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Com-

"DEAR MES. PINEHAM: — Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done a great deal for me. I suffered so much from falling of the womb and all the troubles connected with it. I doctored for years with doctors and other remedies but received only temporary relief.

"I began taking your medicine, and had not taken it long before I was feeling better. My husband said that I should keep right on taking it as long as it gave me relief from my suffering, as I could not expect to be cured by one or two bottles. I did so and am now able to be on my feet and work hard all day, and go to bed and rest at night. Thanks to your Vegetable Compound I am certainly grateful for the relief it gave me. It is the mother's great friend. I would not be without it in my house, for when I feet tired or out of sorts I taken few doses and feel all right.

"I would recommend your medicine to all tired mothers, and especially to those suffering as I was."—Mss. R. F. Champers, Bennet, Neb.

\$5000 FORFEIT if we cannot forthwith produce the original letters and signatures of above testimonials, which will store their absolute penuliseness.

Lydis E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

not only noted for below the home of ameriation.

Arrangements have been made whereby "politicians." but that it is the "queen races, the display of farm products will and one of the allpulations in the con- fair matter with an idea of making it

# HIGH CLASS DRUGGISTS AND - OTHERS.

The better class of druggists, everywhere, are men of scientific attainments and high integrity, who devote their lives to the welfare of their fellow men in supplying the best of remedies and purest medicinal agents of known value, in accordance with physicians' prescriptions and scientific formula. Druggists of the better class manufacture many excellent remedies, but always under original or officinal names and they never sell false brands, or imitation medicines. They are the men to deal with when in need of anything in their line, which usually includes all standard remedies and corresponding adjuncts of a first-class pharmacy and the finest and best of toilet articles and preparations and many useful accessories and remedial appliances. The earning of a fair living, with the satisfaction which arises from a knowledge of the benefits conferred upon their patrons and assistance to the medical profession, is usually their greatest reward for long years of study and many hours of daily toil. They all know that Syrup of Figs is an excellent laxative remedy and that it gives universal satisfaction, and therefore they are selling many millions of bottles annually to the well informed purchasers of the choicest remedies, and they always take pleasure in handing out the genuine article bearing the full name of the Company-California Fig Syrup Co.-printed on the front of every package. They know that in cases of colds and headaches attended by billiousness and constipation and of weakness or torpidity of the liver and bowels, arising from freegular habits, indigestion, or over-eating, that there is no other remedy so pleasant, prompt and beneficial in its effects as

Syrup of Figs, and they are glad to sell it because it gives universal satisfaction. Owing to the excellence of Syrup of Figs, the universal entisfaction which it gives and the immense demand for it, imitations have been made, tried and condemned, but there are individual druggists to be found, here and there, who do not maintain the dignity and principles of the profession and whose greed gets the better of their judgment, and who do not heritate to recommend and try to sell the imitations in order to make a larger profit. Such preparations sometimes have the name-" Syrup of Figs"-or "Fig Syrup" and of some piratical concern, or fictitious fig syrup company, printed on the package, but they never have the full name of the Company—California Fig Syrup Co.—printed on the front of the package. The imitations should be rejected because they are injurious to the system. In order to sell the imitations they find it necessary to resort to misrepresentation or deception, and whenever a dealer passes off on a customer a preparation under the name of "Syrup of Fige" or "Fig Syrup," which does not bear the full name of the California Fig Syrup Co. printed on the front of the package, he is attempting to deceive and mislead the patron who has been so unfortunate as to enter his establishment, whether it be large or small, for if the dealer resorts to misrepresentation and and deception in one case he will do so with other medicinal agents, and in the filling of physicians' prescriptions, and should be avoided by every one who values health and happiness. Knowing that the great majority of druggists are reliable, we supply the immense demand for our excellent remedy entirely through the droggists, of whom it may be purchased everywhere, in original packages only, at the regular price of fifty cents per bottle, but as exceptions exist it is necessary to inform the public of the facts, in order that all may decline or return any imitation which may be sold to them. If it does not bear the full name of the Company-California Fig Syrup Co .- printed on the front of every package, do not hesitate to return the article and to demand the return of your money, and in future go to one of the better class of druggists who will sell you what you wish and the best of everything in his line at reasonable prices.